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More people are being vaccinated! Case rates have been dropping Getting to this point has taken a lot of dedication from you all.

This is all thanks to you! You've worn masks, practiced safe distancing, kept gatherings small, and done what you can to keep your families and community safe.

We're so close to life returning to normal, while adapting to, a new normal along the way. It's more important now than ever, for us to keep up these practices.

Cases are still low compared to the peak we saw in January. Right now, it's a ripple. No one wants a fourth wave. We need your help to ensure it's only a blip in a continued downward trend. We can all take the steps to knock out this ripple.

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Stay hopeful! Vaccines mean vaccinated people who haven't been together in a year, are having dinner together inside. Without distancing. Without masks.

It's easy to let your guard down, with so much good news.

After months of stay at home orders and safety precautions, everyone wants to get back to normal as soon as possible. Keep your eye on the final goal!

Continue to take these steps to keep you, your family and your neighbors safe.

- > Wear a multilayer mask
- Practice physical distancing
- Keep gatherings small
- Wash your hands often
- > STAY HOME if you're sick
- Get a test if you have COVID-19 symptoms

A ripple is nothing to fear. A wave can be dangerous.

Together we can keep this to a ripple!

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